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Application for Native Prairie or Wetlands Property Tax Exemption

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County of		
I	swear or affirm that I am the	owner of the following legally described property
and that this property will not be used for economic gain of any kind during the assessment year. Also, the property shall not be used for the storage of equipment, machinery or crops nor shall there be any buildings, used or unused, located on the property.		
wetlands. I have attached to t		npted from property taxation as native prairie or busly, a certificate from the Iowa Department of ive prairie or wetlands.
Applicant's Signa	ture Date	Address

Native Prairie Definition: Land that has never been cultivated, is unimproved, and is natural or restored grasslands wherein at least 50 percent of the plant canopy is a mixture of grass and forb species which were found originally on Iowa's prairie lands.

Wetlands Definition: An area of two or more acres in a natural condition that is mostly under water or waterlogged during the spring growing season and is characterized by vegetation of hydric soils.

This application must be filed with your local assessor by February 1 of each year.